

SYSTEM AND METHOD FOR
VARIABLE SIZE RETRIEVAL OF WEBPAGE DATA

Abstract of the Disclosure

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10 A user desiring to retrieve any multimedia document
(such as image, sound, audio, video, text) is provided the
ability to select the size of the document desired. The
HTTP protocol HEAD method is used for extracting content
length and content type from the server. Whether the client
browser requests the document or not is based on the content
length and content type sent in the header served to the
browser by the server and the minimum or maximum size
selected by the user for the relevant type. If the content
15 size is not within the parameters defined by the user, the
document will not be requested or served on the network.

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